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One new case of smallpox in Pensacola, Fla.

PENSACOLA, FLA., May 20, 1896.

SIR: I have the honor to inform you of the occurrence of another case of smallpox, reported to the board of health on the 12th instant.

Respectfully, yours,

J. WHITING HARGIS,
Acting Assistant Surgeon, U. S. M. H. S.

Disinfection of the steamship North Anglia at Reedy Island Quarantine.

REEDY ISLAND, May 26, 1896.

SIR: Confirming my dispatch to you yesterday in regard to the British steamer *North Anglia*, thirty-one days from Alexandria, with a foul bill of health, I have to report that the vessel was fumigated, dunnage steamed, fresh water tanks cleansed, and refilled from the inspection steamer *Pasteur*, and the vessel released. The *North Anglia* lay at Alexandria over a week loading sugar, and shipped a man who had been in that port over a month. Some fresh water was also taken aboard. The vessel then stopped at Gibraltar for coal, but was not allowed in beyond quarantine, and the English bill of health from that port especially noted her unsanitary port of departure. Under these circumstances, the vessel was subjected to treatment, and, as no sickness had occurred aboard, she was promptly released.

Very respectfully,

A. H. GLENNAN,
Passed Assistant Surgeon, U. S. M. H. S.